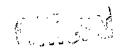
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examining the above-captioned application, please add the following new Claim

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21. (New) A reel housing configured to enclose a rotatable reel drum, said housing comprising a housing body and a facial indicia element configured to be selectively attached and detached from said housing body, said facial indicia element having an exterior surface decorated with facial indicia to resemble one of an animal, a human, a human-like character, and an alien creature.

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